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ER O-5805

5 August 1949

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

1. Your memorandum dated 25 July 1949 requesting that your grade be restored from CAF-13 to P-7, or CAF-14 level, effective 7 March 1949, has been carefully reviewed.

2. Your reassignment to the field as a Station Chief at the CAF-13 level was effected in the best interests of this Agency and the Government. The decision was purely administrative and is not to be construed as punitive in nature. As you know, there are only a certain number of slots in the various grades assigned this organization, and we are going more and more to have to reassign people to and from the field and to and from Washington with similar consequent changes in their rating.

3. Please be assured that your continued service with this Agency is desired and that I am not unmindful of the record you have established. Should occasion permit your reassignment to duties at the P-7 or CAF-14 level, at some future date, you will be given every consideration.

*Signed* — *All other copies*  
R. H. HILLENKOTTER  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
Intelligence

*To ADSO 8-8-49*

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to DCI via ADSO fr [redacted] subj: Petition for  
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